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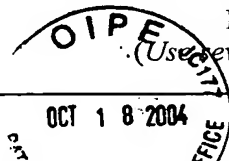
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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	A1	2,717,601	10 Aug 1949	F.E. Brown			
	A2	3,811,441	21 May 1974	Stanley J. Sarnoff			
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	B1	1181037	31 May 1968	Great Britain				
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OTHER REFERENCES <i>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</i>		
	C1	Communication Pursuant to Article 96(2) EPC - Examiner's Report from European Patent Office dated 10 May 2004, in EP 00976612.2 filed 20 Oct 2000.

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